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AMENDMENT

Madam:

In response to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences decision dated March 26, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.198, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees under 37 CFR §1.17(e) and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502-665 in the name of GE Healthcare, Inc.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.